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Surety Bond letter

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### SUMMARY DOCUMENT UIC WELL APPLICATION Ute Tribal 31-07 API # 43-013-32036

The following document contains information provided in support of the application for the conversion of the Ute Tribal 31-07 well to an injection well in the Green River formation in the Antelope Creek Field in Duchesne County, Utah.

The Antelope Creek Field falls within the Uintah and Ouray Indian reservations and is within Indian Country; therefore, for facilities located on the reservation, only EPA-issued UIC permits are necessary for compliance with UIC regulations.

The EPA has issued an Area Permit #UT20736-00000 for the Underground Injection Control for the Antelope Creek Field. This area permit allows for additional producing wells to be converted to injection wells for enhanced recovery.

(1) Petroglyph Energy, Inc. (Petroglyph) is the operator and only working interest owner of wells located in the Antelope creek Field, Duchesne County, Utah. Petroglyph's business address is provided below:

Petroglyph Energy, Inc. 960 Broadway Avenue, Suite 500 P.O. Box 70019 Boise, ID 83707

- (2) Enclosed as Attachment No. 1 is a topographic map of a portion of the Antelope Creek Field, identifying all wells located in this area. The legal location for the Ute Tribal 31-07 is 1976' FNL & 2168' FEL SW/NE Sec. 31, T5S-R3W.
- (3) Attachment No. 2 is a map of the well. This map shows a circle with a ¼ mile radius centered on the Ute Tribal 31-07 well. The ¼ mile radius encompasses the area of review, AOR, within which Petroglyph is required to investigate all wells for mechanical integrity. The ¼ mile radius also identifies mineral ownership; all lands within the AOR are leased to Petroglyph by the Ute Tribe as indicated by yellow shading. The AOR has Ute Tribal 31-06 well(s) located in its ¼ mile radius.

- (4) Petroglyph proposes to utilize the Ute Tribal 31-07 as an injection well for enhanced recovery in the Antelope Creek Field.
- (5) Injection Zone The injection intervals are between 3982' and 5954' True Vertical Depth and located in the lower portion of the Green River Formation. The injection zone is confined within a 1972' section between the Green River "A" Lime marker bed and the top of the Basal Carbonate in the lower part of the formation. The injection zone is composed of lenticular calcareous sandstones interbedded with low permeable carbonates and calcareous shales. The lenticular sandstones vary in thickness from 1 to 30 feet.

Confining Zone – The overall confining strata above the injection zone consists of impermeable Green River calcareous shales and continuous beds of microcrystalline dolostone. The confining zone in the Ute Tribal 31-07 is 217 feet thick.

Attachment No. 3 is a structure map of the A-Marker surface.

Attachment No. 4 is a cross-section of the injection interval and confining zone.

(6) Enclosed as Attachment No. 5 are standard analyses of produced water from three batteries that currently serve as central handling facilities for all project producing wells. The analysis of the Green River formation water from the Ute Tribal 18-08 Satellite Battery is 12805 mg/L of total dissolved solids (TDS), Ute Tribal 21-11 Satellite Battery is 15659 mg/L TDS, and Ute Tribal 34-12-D3 Satellite Battery is 14590 mg/L TDS.

Injectate in the field is a mixture of produced water and fresh make-up water. The nearest injection well is the Ute Tribal 30-15, the most recent analysis of the water being injected into the Green River formation at this location is 10160 mg/L TDS. This analysis is also included in Attachment No. 5.

- (7) A summary of completion data from the Ute Tribal 31-07 and offset wells in the AOR are included in Attachment No. 6
- (8) The cement bond log is included in Attachment No. 7.
- (9) The open hole log for the Ute Tribal 31-07 is included in Attachment No. 8.

- (10) The Antelope Creek Field is operated under a Cooperative Plan of Development between the Ute Tribe and Petroglyph Energy. At the Ute Tribal 31-07 location, all mineral owners, surface owners and operators located within the AOR ¼ mile radius have been notified of the submitted EPA application to convert to injection. Attachment No. 9 is the Affidavit of Notification to all owners.
- (11) Petroglyph requests a maximum surface injection pressure of **1802**psi. The EPA Area Permit No. UT20736-00000 uses the formula:

Pm = (0.88psi/ft - 0.43psi/ft(Sg)) D

Where:

Pm = Maximum surface injection pressure

0.88psi/ft = Fracture gradient

D = Top perforation depth

0.43psi/ft = Hydrostatic pressure/hydraulic head

Sg = Specific gravity of injection fluid

For the Ute Tribal 31-07:

1802psi = (0.88psi/ft - 0.43(1.00)) 4004ft

- (12) Three wellbore diagrams for the Ute Tribal 31-07 are in Attachment No. 10. One diagram is for production, one for injection, and one for Plug & Abandonment (P&A).
- (13) The P&A procedure for this well is shown in Attachment No. 11.
- (14) Once the draft permit is issued, Petroglyph will conduct a Mechanical Integrity Test and a static bottom-hole pressure test. The MIT procedure is contained in Attachment No. 12. The conversion work will be satisfactorily completed and submitted to the EPA on Form 7520-12. A wellbore schematic will be included with this form.

- (15) Petroglyph will give proof of financial responsibility by posting a surety bond for the UIC well prior to final permit approval. A copy of this letter is contained in Attachment No. 13.
- (16) Petroglyph will install various gauges on the well so that the injection pressure and tubing/casing annulus pressure can be monitored. The well will be equipped with a flow meter with a cumulative volume recorder.



# Technical Review Worksheet

remit No: U12		UT 31-07
What Needs to be Done	Information Sources	Review & Evaluation Notes
Determine name, top and base of the confining zone(s) and the injection zone(s).	☐ Geologic data submitted☐ Well logs from area☐ Published articles	Conf Zone: top 3763 base 3982 Inj Zone: top 3982 base 5954 (Gerden Gulch 2-Marker) (top Wasatch)
Determine name, top and base of all USDWs. List base of lowermost USDW: Determine which USDWs are actually being used for water supply.	☐ Geologic data submitted ☐ nearby Water analyses ☐ nearby Well logs ☐ Water supply wells ☐ Published articles	Surface Elevation: GL: 6793 KB: 6803  Pub#92 base USDW: bgs: elev:  submitted base USDW bgs: 1803 elev:  base of Uinta / top Green River: 1510 USDWING  GREEN RIVER
Review and evaluate construction, casing and cementing records of proposed well.	☐ Data submitted ☐ Completion/workover reports ☐ Contractor invoices ☐ Logs: CBL, RTS, Temp, casing inspection, etc.	TD: $6063$ PBTD: $5925'$ surface csg $85/24$ ft $0-276$ s long strg csg $5/2'$ 15.5# ft $0-5998$ s
		TOC: submitted: 850 CBL: 860  Wells in AOR: TD TOC C  31-06 deviated 6377 Surf
Review and evaluate construction, casing and cementing records of AOR wells that penetrate injection zone.	72/1	
Review P&A plan for effective USDW protection, injection zone isolation and well closure.	☐ P&A plan ☐ Area geology	plug depths:
Review amount of FR - is it adequate to cover P&A costs of proposed in P&A plan?	☐ contractor bids / P&A cost histories ☐ nearby well P&A costs	FR instrument: Amount: \$
Calculate the maximum allowable injection pressure (MAIP).	☐ Fracture treatments ☐ Step Rate Test results ☐ Fracture gradient	top perforation:  bottom perforation:  injectate specific gravity: 101 Frac Gradient: 88 p  initial MAIP = 1760 psi
Determine which logs and tests will be performed.		

## Cement Bond Index (in millivolts - mV)

Date: September 2, 2015

Operator:

Petroglyph

Well:

Ute Tribal 31-07

Permit:

Enter the following values:

$$(in \ mV) = 72$$

Amplitude at 
$$80\%$$
 Bond (A-80) = 2.4 mV

 $[(0.2)\log A0 + (0.8)\log A100]$ 

Amplitude at 90% Bond (A-90)=
[(0.1)log A0 + (0.9)log A100]

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1.5 mV

Amplitude at 70% Bond (A-70)=  $[(0.3)\log A0 + (0.7)\log A100]$ 

3.6 mV

Amplitude at 60% Bond (A-60)=
[(0.4)log A0 + (0.6)log A100]

5.5 mV

## Maximum Allowable Injection Pressure (MAIP) From Fracture Gradient

Date: 09/02/2015	Operator:	Petroglyph		
	Well:	Ute Tribal 31	-07	
	Permit #:			
Enter the fo	ollowing val	ues:		
Specific Gravity of injectate =		1.010	g/cc	
Depth to top of injection interva	n/ =	3,982	feet	

(rounded down to nearest 5 psig)

0.880

psi/ft

Depth to top of injection interval =

Fracture Gradient (FG) =

MSIP = [FG - (0.433 \* SG)] \* Depth to top of injection interval =1762.712

## Well Completion Data Ute Tribal 31-07

	Surface Casing				Production Casing			
			Cement				Cement	
	Size	Depth (ft	Amount	Cement	Size	Depth (ft	Amount	Estimated
Well	(inches)	кв)	(sx)	Тор	(inches)	KB)	(sx)	Cement Top
Ute Tribal 31-07	8-5/8	276	165	surface	5-1/2	5998	590	850
Ute Tribal 31-06	8-5/8	538	360	surface	5-1/2	6377	840	surface

## **Ute Tribal 31-07 Well History**

#### Well History:

Spud Well: 2/25/1998 Completed: 4/16/1998 First Production: 4/22/1998

#### Tops (KB):

#### BMSW\* Found at 1803'

Green River 1510'

A Marker 3982'

X Marker 4468'

Douglas Creek 4605'

B Limestone 4980'

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Castle Peak 5460'

#### Basal Carbonate 5954'

### **Perf History**

4/9/1998

B02	4028' to 4034'
B08.1	4310' to 4314'
B10	4378' to 4382'
C05	4658' to 4662'
C08.1	4870' to 4874'
C09.2	4933' to 4937'
D01	4998' to 5002'

Petroglyph Operating Co., Inc. Ute Tribal #31-07 (1976' FNL & 2168' FEL) SW NE Section 31, 5S- 3W Antelope Creek Field Duchesne Co. Utah API#: 43013320360000

\*Plate 1 Utah Geological Survey Special Study 144. (2012). BMSW Elevation Contour Map, Uinta Basin, Utah. [map]. (CA 1:200,000) GL: 6793' KB: 6803'

8 5/8" 24# Surface CSG @ 276' KB

cmt'd w/165sx

Surface Hole size 12 1/4"

Cement top @ 850'

5 1/2" 15.5# J-55 CSG @ 5998'

-cmt'd w/590 sx

Hole Size 7 7/8" bit

Perf's:

B02 4028' to 4034'

B08.1 4310' to 4314'

B10 4378' to 4382'

C05 4658' to 4662'

C08.1 4870' to 4874'

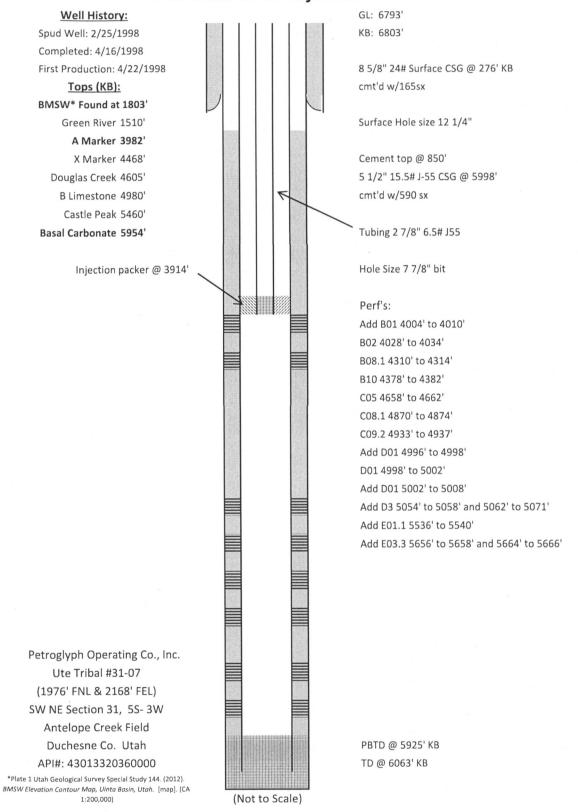
C09.2 4933' to 4937'

D01 4998' to 5002'

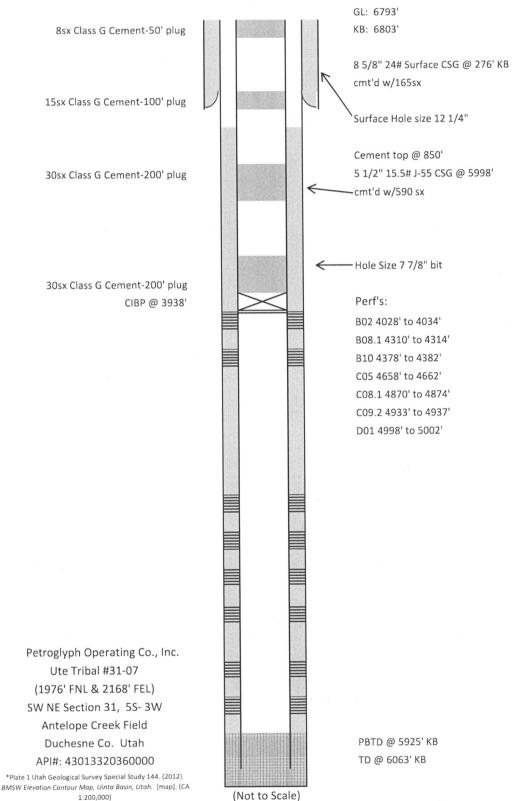
PBTD @ 5925' KB TD @ 6063' KB

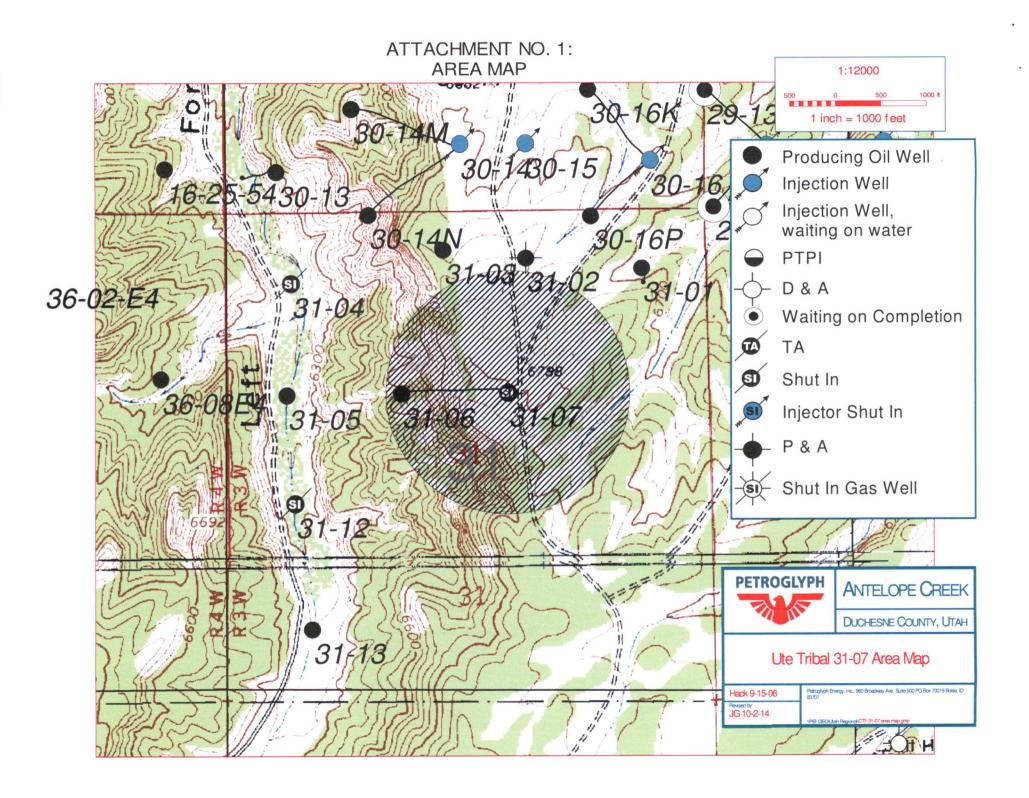
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## **Ute Tribal 31-07 Injection**

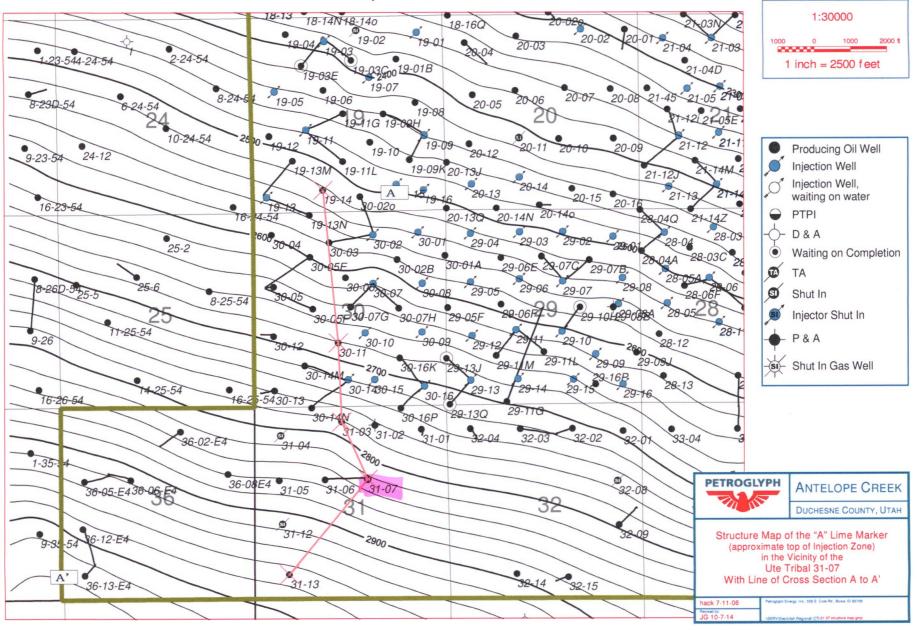


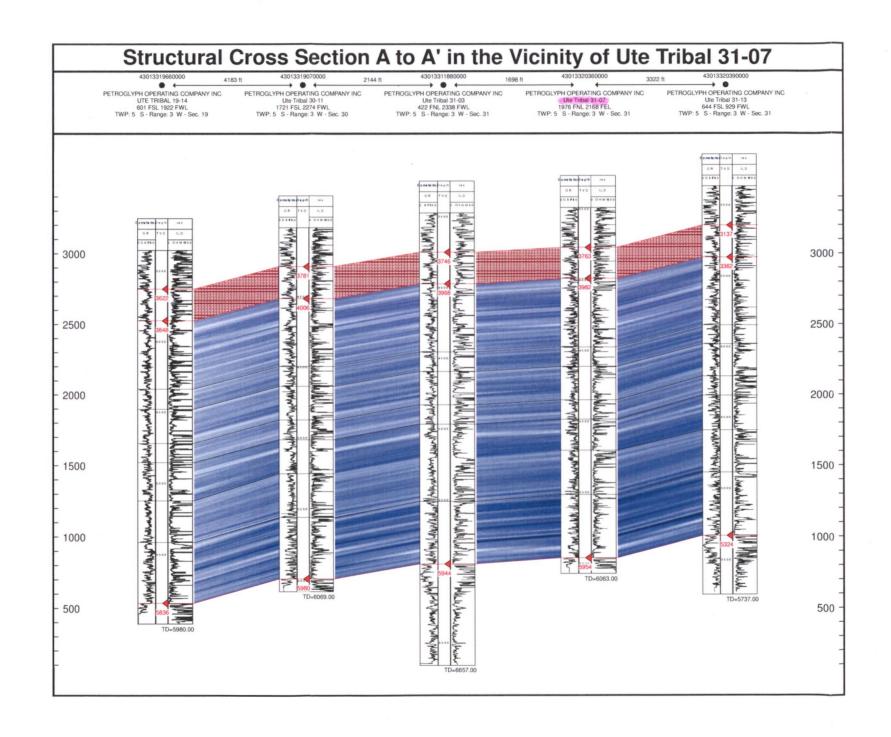
## **Ute Tribal 31-07 Plug and Abandonment**





### ATTACHMENT NO. 3: Map of the "A" Lime Marker





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